Prayer Items

- 1. Please pray for the COVID-19 (coronavirus) situation. Pray for wisdom for world and health leaders, for God's mercy on those directly affected, and for God to strengthen his people and make his name known in beautiful and surprising ways.
- 2. Please continue to pray for sister Sharon Yen and her family. Both Charles and Linda are coming down with a cold. Please pray for speedy recovery. We'd like to remind everyone *not* phone or send long communications to Sharon at this time. Please join the nightly prayer ritual whenever you can. The family deeply appreciates your support in prayer.
- Do continue to pray for church's current transition. Pray for our Pastoral Search 3. Committee (PSC) as they seek candidates for Chinese pastor, and also for our church Board and leaders as they seek to lead and care with God's wisdom and love.
- 4. Please continue to pray for our church's ministry to University of Connecticut students. Pray for the relationships currently being formed with many new students, and also for strength, wisdom and unity for the ministry team.
- 5. Please pray for those among our church family (and those we love) who are struggling with illness or sadness. Pray for the Lord's move and encouragement in their lives.
- 6. Please pray for our brothers and sisters who are seeking their next vocational positions. May God's peace and comfort be always be with them.

Seek First His Kingdom

Today's Scripture Reading:

Matthew 16:24 ESV

²⁴ Then Jesus told his disciples, "If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me. 24 於是耶穌對門徒說: 若有人要跟從我, 就當捨己, 背起他的十字架來跟從我。





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English Worship

11:30 AM

Chinese Alliance Church of Westchester

English Worship Service

March 22nd, 2020, 11:30 a.m

Psalm 36:5-6, 10

⁵ Your love, Lord, reaches to the heavens, your faithfulness to the skies.⁶ Your righteousness is like the highest mountains, your justice like the great deep. You, Lord, preserve both people and animals.¹⁰ Continue your love to those who know you, your righteousness to the upright in heart.

➢ GATHERING TOGETHER IN GOD's PRESENCE

- Call to Worship (Psalm 36:5-6, 10)
- Praise and Worship in Song
- Pastoral Prayer
- Greeting One Another

> HEARING AND CELEBRATING GOD'S WORD

- Responsive Reading
- Message How To Walk With Jesus (in a Time Like This) (Pastor Alan)
- Scripture Reading (Matthew 16:24)

> RESPONDING WITH THANKSGIVING

- Song of Response
- Prayer for Tithes and Offerings

> BEING SENT TO LOVE AND SERVE

- Community Life
- Benediction

Theme verse for March, 2020

Matthew 4:4 Jesus answered, "It is written: 'Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.'"

Announcements

- 1. For latest information about CACW's approach to the COVID-19 coronavirus situation, please visit www.cacw.org/ncov19.
- 2. We'd like to thank Pastor Alan for preaching at both Chinese and English services this morning. Many thanks to worship teams for continuously improving the quality of our live streaming sessions.
- 3. We will continue to live stream our Sunday services for the time being. Chrisitian Education co-worker, Brother Hong, is working with various teachers on the possibility of on-line Sunday School. Please stay tuned for more information.
- 4. Starting this Sunday, we will post our Sunday "Live Streaming" services directly on a permanent, password protected church webpage <u>https://www.cacw.org/livestream/</u>

Please access the SAME web page each week as we will gradually cease sending out weekly links. Please type in the password: bestillmysoul and voluntarily fill out an attendance form.

- 5. Nearly all of our fellowships and bible studies are now conducting their sessions on-line. It has never been a better time to join one while at home. Please visit CACW webpage (https://www.cacw.org/ministries/) for contact information.
- Our faithful prayer warriors are meeting every night, with the exception of Wednesday, at 9:00 PM to pray for Sister Sharon Yen. If you are interested in joining the prayer meeting, please contact Peter Khoo (pkhoo4@yahoo.com) for call-in numbers.
- 7. Wednesday night Church-wide prayer meeting is going "virtual". You can now pray with others at the comfort of your home. Please contact Pastor Alan (pastoralan@cacw.org) for call in information or prayer requests
- 8. If you need or you know of an elderly who needs help with grocery run etc, please do let Sister Pei (pei_yeh@yahoo.com) or Brother Lee (sylee08816@gmail.com) know and we will be glad to help.
- 9. Brother Shyh-Yann Lee will share the Word of God in the Chinese service next Sunday, Mar 29. Pastor Alan will preach in the English service.

Fellowship & Sunday School

English Adult Sunday School new arrangement to be announced. Contact: Te Chan (<u>Teshun@tjchan.com</u>)

English Bible Study Fellowship is studying "The Power of Jesus Name" by Dr Tony Evans using **Zoom online meeting**. Every Friday from 7:40-9:30pm. All are welcomed! Contact: Jim Anderson (jimanderson2357@gmail.com)

Saturday Youth Fellowship: Junior & Senior High - Every Saturday from 7:00-9:30 pm using <u>Zoom online meeting</u>. Contact: Pastor Pablo (pastorpablo@cacw.org) or Ruth (ruthwc@gmail.com)